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IN THE CLAIMS:

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14. **(New)** A mobile phone handset usable by a pedestrian and arranged for reducing electromagnetic radiation into the user's brain while the handset is used in the hand, the handset comprising:

a radio transceiver; an aerial; an earpiece for transmitting sound in a first direction; a speaker; and

an elongate dielectric tube that can telescope out of the handset in a direction that is inclined to said first direction; said tube carrying said earpiece and channeling sound from said speaker to said earpiece.

- 15. **(New)** A mobile phone handset according to claim 14, wherein transmission of sound to said earpiece is enabled only when the earpiece is telescopically distanced from all electrical parts of the handset.
- 16. **(New)** A mobile phone handset usable by a pedestrian and arranged for reducing electromagnetic radiation into the user's brain while the handset is used in the hand, the handset comprising:

a radio transceiver; an aerial; a speaker; and

a telescopic arrangement comprising a plurality of elongate concentric dielectric tubes out of one of which an earpiece bulges, the telescopic arrangement channeling sound from said speaker to said earpiece.

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17. **(New)** A boomless mobile phone hands-free kit usable by a pedestrian and arranged for reducing electromagnetic radiation into the user's brain, the kit comprising, as viewed during use:

an assembly comprising an elongate dielectric tube having a first end terminating in an earpiece and a second end fixed to a housing that is lower than the earpiece;

a speaker in said housing delivering sound into said tube;

a mobile phone connector connectable with a mobile phone handset;

a microphone;

cabling that electrically connects said speaker, and said microphone, with said mobile phone connector;

wherein the electrical parts of said kit are distanced from the user's ear so as to avoid electromagnet radiation from a mobile phone connected to said connector being relayed to the user's ear.

- 18. (New) A hands-free kit according to claim 17, wherein said tube is less than twenty centimeters long.
- 19. (New) A hands-free kit according to claim 17 wherein said microphone is arranged for sensing ambient sound in the vicinity of said housing.
- 20. **(New)** A hands-free kit according to claim 19 wherein said microphone is in said housing and said housing has an opening to receive the ambient sound.
- 21. **(New)** A mobile phone device for reducing electromagnetic radiation from a mobile phone into the user's ear comprising:

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an earpiece;

a speaker;

a receptacle;

a first dielectric sliding tube that slides in said receptacle and receives sound from said speaker;

a second dielectric sliding tube receiving sound from said first dielectric sliding tube and transmitting that sound to said earpiece;

whereby said earpiece can be distanced from said speaker during phone calls so as to reduce electromagnetic radiation into the user's ear.

- 22. **(New)** A device according to claim 21 wherein said receptacle comprises a microphone.
- 23. **(New)** A device according to claim 21 comprising several dielectric sliding tubes.
- 24. **(New)** A device for reducing electromagnetic radiation from a mobile phone into the user's ear comprising:

an earpiece;

a speaker;

a receptacle;

a dielectric sliding tube that slides in said receptacle and receives sound from said speaker and forwards the sound to said earpiece;

whereby said earpiece can be distanced from said speaker during phone calls so as to reduce electromagnetic radiation into the user's ear.